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DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EASTPORT, Me., Oct. 15.—The fire, which broke out at 2 p. m. yesterday, raged furiously for ten hours, defying all efforts to control or arrest it. It started in Cohen & Morley's sardine cannery and swept in a northern direction along the water front and through Water street, burning ten sardine canneries, two hotels, about thirty dwelling houses, the custom house, postoffice and every business place, where goods of any description were kept for sale, except two small grocery stores, which were out of the path of the fire. The canneries gave employment to at least 2000 persons. Much suffering must ensue unless immediate aid is rendered. Nearly all safes were destroyed, with their contents and many insurance policies. Probably not three safes protected their contents from fire. The aggregate loss is estimated at $5,000,000. The Passamaquoddy hotel, Island house, Frontier house and American house were burned. The savings bank, the Frontier National bank and custom house, all brick buildings, were totally destroyed. The Frontier bank building was supposed to be fireproof. The custom house, postoffice and United States signal service records and books were all burned.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Oct. 15.—The rate cutting on overland fares, which has been practiced in a quiet way heretofore, is now done openly. The schedule rate to New York is $81, but it is stated that tickets are being sold as low as $67. Another rate war similar to that of five months ago, is believed to be imminent.

Mrs. Adelaide Harper, 30 years old, took a dose of Paris green last night and died from its effects this morning. Domestic trouble was the cause of the act.

William Gillespie Walker, a nephew of James G. Blaine and the son of the latter's favorite sister, who was buried on the day of President Cleveland's inauguration, has entered the order of the Jesuit Fathers at Santa Clara.

LAREDO, Tex., Oct. 14.—It is reported here to-night that two Mexican prisoners who were found on trial to be members of the band of outlaws who perpetrated the celebrated robbery on the Mexican National railroad three years ago, were executed yesterday at a point below, near the scene of the robbery. When the officers left here with the prisoners they declared that they were taking them to Monterey.

ASHLAND, Pa., Oct. 14.—About 10 o'clock this morning two unknown men entered Milworth's bank and at the muzzle of revolvers compelled President Milworth to give them the contents of the safe amounting to $4000. The robbers then made their escape. An armed posse are in hot pursuit.

MANKATO, Ill., Oct. 14.—This morning about 200 disguised men overpowered the sheriff, broke into the jail, took out Henry Wilde, a wife murderer, and hanged him to a tree near the jail. After the hanging they shot him eleven times to make sure of their work.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 14.—Two heavy failures occurred here within four hours today, on account of the defalcation of one man. The first firm to go under was that of Jacob Weller & Co., wholesale dealers in peanuts and pickles. A rough estimate of their liabilities places them at $100,000. It is claimed that the assets will nearly reach this amount. The cause of failure was forgery by their confidential clerk, R. M. Dall, of many thousand dollars of warehouse receipts. Dall has fled to Canada, and has written a confession to the firm, but does not state what his shortage is. Four hours later the announcement of the failure of Skaats, Edwards & Co., another peanut commission firm, at 85 Water street, was made. They hold about $30,000 worth of Weller's paper, and their liabilities will probably reach $60,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 14.—A story of singular inhumanity is brought to this city by seamen who were recently cod-fishing near the Choumagin islands. Some time last month a cod-fisher who had drifted in his dory a long distance from his vessel was capsized. He clung to the bottom of his boat, hoping to be picked up by other fishermen. Another boat passed that way in charge of a Portuguese sailor, and to whom the wrecked seaman appealed for help. The Portuguese is said to have responded that his boat was full of fish, and would carry no more, and then to have rowed away, leaving the man to his fate. What happened to the abandoned seaman later is not told, but cod-fishers say that they think he was lost. His name is not known, and it is not known to what crew he belonged.

STOCKTON, Oct. 14.—Willie Brough, 12 years old, who created an excitement among superstitious people near Turlock by apparently setting fire to all objects by his glance, and who is held responsible for the destruction of $9000 worth of farm property, has been expelled from a Madison county school, near Turlock, on account of his wonderful freaks. The Brough family refused to have anything to do with him, believing him possessed of a devil. The boy was taken in by a farmer and sent to school. On the first day there were five fires in the school; one in the centre of the ceiling, one in the teacher's desk, one in the teacher's wardrobe, and two on the wall. The boy discovered all, and cried from fright. The trustees met and expelled him that night. One Turlock insurance agent has given notice that he will cancel all policies on property occupied by the boy. The neighborhood of Turlock is in a furore of excitement about the mystery.

Mutilation of Dogs.

Sir Edwin Landseer, one of the judges at the dog show in London, England, endeavored to exclude all dogs that had been mutilated by ear cropping or otherwise, says the New Orleans Picayune. The principal reason for Sir Edwin Landseer's protest is that the cropping of ears is most cruel and hurtful to the dog. The cruelty complained of is not in the operation; that, after all, is a small matter. It consists in depriving the animal of a defence which nature has given to it against the entrance of earth and sand into the ears. The entrance of these into the ears distresses the dog much, causing deafness, abscesses and cancer. All dogs, more or less, require to be protected from sand and earth by overlapping ears; but especially do terriers - literally "earth dogs"—the species which of all others, is most persecuted by cropping. They go into a burrow, their ears get full of sand and they suffer ever afterward. Surely Sir Edwin Landseer is right in saying that judges of dogs ought not to sanction such gross treatment of the animal and that the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals should look to the practice. The only excuse that can be set up for this system is a delusive one. It is said that fighting dogs fare better with their ears cropped and the exigencies of fighting dogs have set the fashion for all others. It is true that if an ear be gone it can not be torn, but then it is forgotten that even for fighting purposes the ear is often a protection. All these fighting dogs have what are called "points." One has his way of seizing the leg, another fixes upon the throat, and yet another makes a dash at the large gland behind the year, which, in the dog, is as sensitive as the most sensitive gland in the human body. Deprive the dog of his ear and the assailant can get a good bite at it and lay his adversary low. Leave the dog his ear and the assailant's grasp of sensitive gland is impeded by the folds of ear and rendered much more feeble. Thus, even to the fighting dog, the long ear is a positive defence.

THE HADDOCK MURDER.

CONFESSION OF ONE OF THE PERSONS IMPLICATED.

SIOUX CITY, Iowa, Oct. 8.—M. L. Leavitt, manager of the opera house here, who was arrested in Chicago yesterday, charged with being implicated in the murder of Rev. Haddock, the prohibition agitator, in this city in August, which created such a sensation all through the country, has made a written confession. He says the murderer was John Arensdorf, foreman of the Franz Brewing Co. Leavitt gives a minute description of the assassination.

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TWO CHILDREN MARRY.

MR. BROWN HAULS HIS BOY INTO COURT AND LEARNS SOMETHING ASTONISHING.

NEW YORK, Oct. 10.—James Brown, a retired produce dealer, living at No. 245 East Eighty sixth street, had his son, Milton, sixteen years old, arrested for stopping away from home over night. The lad was arraigned in the Harlem court yesterday morning. A rosy little girl, 15 years old, watched him with tearful eyes from the spectators' seats. Justice Power asked the lad what he stayed away from home for. "Your father says you are an incorrigible boy," he said, severely.

"I am not a boy," was the respectful response, but a lawfully married man, and I believe it is my duty to live with my wife. That is why I staid away from home."

"Your wife, did you say?" exclaimed the justice in astonishment. "You don't mean to tell me that you are married?"

"Yes, judge," replied the lad, "I was married Monday night and there is my wife," pointing to a girl in the spectators' seats, who blushed and smiled through her tears.

The paternal Brown was equally astonished. He said that he had no idea his boy was married. "However," he said, "let him go home with his wife if he wants to." The little girl bounded from her seat, kissed the juvenile husband heartily, and the couple marched proudly out of court. Until last Saturday the salary of the younger Mr. Brown was $4 a week. He is "looking for a job" now.

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Several new French Corsets

And a large stock of regular makes; the best numbers of the Compton Corset.

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At Richfield.....Monday.....11th October, 1886
At Quesnellemouth.Thursday....14th "
At Soda Creek.....Saturday.....16th "
At Lillooet.....Wednesday...27th "
At Clinton.....Monday.....8th November

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JOHN ROBSON,
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LOVE OF NOVELTY.

Desire for change seems natural in the human mind and needs to be provided for like other instinctive likes and dislikes. There are instances where energies are crushed, capacities deadened and lives despoiled of happiness by a monotonous existence, relieved by no shifting of scene, no change of place, no respite from the dull routine of hard and perhaps distasteful labor, except in the unconsciousness of sleep. Happily this need is becoming recognized more fully, and generous efforts are being made to meet it for those who need it most and have the least power to secure it for themselves. There is, however, another and quite an opposite danger, which many persons fall into. Perceiving the need of change, they forget that there is also a certainty of sameness in the ordinary course of a lifetime. Because this becomes painful after a time, they suppose it to be in itself an unmixed evil, and try as far as possible to banish it. They come to rely on change for their happiness, they go from place to place, and from scene to scene, ever trying some new thing to tempt an already palled and satiated appetite. They do not understand that it is only through monotony that change comes to have any value, that novelty like money is only good when it has been earned. Constant variety becomes at length wearisome, and the only resource for the *blasé* pleasure-seeker is in turning resolntely to the salutary sameness of a life of duty. All our conceptions of beauty are founded on this necessity. It is the sublime immensity of the sea that gives to the waves their grace and brilliance; the strength and stability of the mountains that give charm to their variety of height and shape as we view them from a distance; the long stretch of level ground that causes our pleasure in hill or lake that breaks upon our sight. Art, in like manner, to be pleasing must give us somewhat of monotone before its novelty can charm. In architecture there must be massive walls and pillars, and the decoration must be subordinate. In painting, the background must be strong and clear to give effect to the picture. In music, the monotonous passage must be prolonged to a certain extent to give zest to the changes that delight the ear. So in life, there must be sameness if any benefit or joy is to be derived from change. There must be rest before motion, home before travel, work before play, duty before pleasure. It is the woman who devotes the hours of work most assiduously to employment who will most thoroughly enjoy an evening of social recreation. It is the man who has spent a winter in patient and energetic activity who will best prize and best use his two weeks or two months of summer vacation. It is to him who submits sweetly and cheerfully to the monotony of daily life, with its petty trials, vexations, disappointments, and fatigues that refreshing changes will come with most delight and bring the truest recreation. This is true, not only with regard to changes of place and scene, but also to those of custom and of thought. Impatience with the past never augurs well for the future. Those who seek for perpetual novelty in ideas will soon have none worth keeping. Only as the old ones that have proved their worth by long experience are reverenced and cherished can new ones safely make their way. Truths can never conflict, for truth is a unity, and when an opinion that has once been held is forced to give way under the pressure of advancing thought, it is but the outer shell that once contained a truth, and is no longer needed, that drops away, while the everlasting truth remains with all who are wise enough to retain it. Thus, in the world of thought, sameness must be the accepted foundation on which changes must gradually be made, if any solid advancement is to be attained. So with custom. The love of novelty, seeking, without due cause, to upset prevailing usages, is no benefactor to the community. They have been established by long experience and by common consent, and not until they can be shown to interfere with some real good should they be disturbed. If this condition be observed, changes, when they do come, will be grateful and beneficial. If, for example, the continued whirl of fashion in dress were limited to such changes as were dictated by comfort, convenience, and an improving sense of the beautiful, what intelligent woman would not feel rejoiced? Each one can do something to regulate this innate love of novelty within himself, so as to make it available for good. First of all, he must recognize and not ignore it, then he must make it the exception and not the rule. He must accept sameness, not as an evil to be done away with, but as the necessary and serviceable warp and woof of life, on which the embroidery of change must be skillfully and sparingly introduced. Thus novelty will never lose its charm, and its sources will be kept fresh and invigorating.

THE QUEBEC ELECTIONS.

There can be little doubt that the Liberals have made heavy gains in the recent elections. Whether or not these gains have been sufficient to cause the overthrow of the present government we do not yet know. It is just possible they have, and the result in that event is one which under the circumstances can only be deplored. Not so much that a Conservative government has fallen and a Liberal rising in its stead as that victory should have been achieved at the sacrifice of principle. The Regina scaffold was the platform upon which Mr. Mercier and his party went to the people, and over the execution of a rebel and a traitor they have possibly ridden into power. Mr. Mercier has pretended that there was no attempt to raise the race and revenge cry, and yet at a meeting held in Montreal during the campaign the Hon. Mr. Thibaudeau, the Nationalist candidate, told his hearers of the insult "our race and religion" had received by the execution of "our brother" at Regina. Not to be outdone, Mr. L. O. David, who opposed Attorney-General Taillon successfully in Montreal East stated in a campaign speech that the attorney general was like Pontius Pilate because he refused to intervene in the Riel matter. Pilate, he said, had refused to interfere on behalf of Our Saviour for fear of incurring Cæsar's displeasure, and Mr. Taillon feared displeasing Sir John Macdonald. Anything more brutal and sacreligious than such utterances could hardly be conceived, and only show the depths to which unprincipled politicians can descend. There can be no question that every effort was made to excite the passions of the French people, and everyone who was opposed to Mr. Mercier was an "Orangeman," a man to be despised but feared, for he aimed not only at the dispoiling of the church, but the extinction of the French race in Canada. The wily opposition leader's tactics would seem to have been comparatively successful, though even if he is returned to power he will have a powerful opposition in the legislature which will stand between him and his legislation and the people. Speaking of the possibility of his success, and the formation of a government by him the Coaticook Observer, which is published in the Eastern Townships and is the organ of one of the candidates whom Mr. Mercier claims as his own, said recently: "Such a government might be called liberal, but it would be liberal only in name. It would be in reality a Rielite government controlled by Ultramontanes, and inspired with bitter hatred and hostility not only to the federal government at Ottawa under Sir John Macdonald, but also the British race in Canada. It would be the direct opposite of a liberal government, and might even become reactionary. The Castors, who would form an important element in it, are in fact avowed reactionists, for whom even the bleus are too liberal. They and the whole Parti National are inspired by an intense spirit of French Canadian nativism, which looks on the presence of British Canadians in Quebec as an intrusion to be got rid of as fast as may be. Such are the real issues of this election, as presented by the leaders and organs of the Parti National. No party adopting such principles can claim or ought to receive the support of the English-speaking people of this province, no matter to what party they may have heretofore belonged." If Mr. Mercier becomes premier of the province of Quebec, he will find that his political bed is not one of roses.

The Police.

TO THE EDITOR: In every well regulated city in the civilized world the chief of the police is chosen for his intelligence, integrity and ability—to be like Cæsar's wife above suspicion. The law requires that the captain of a ship should pass an examination and have a certificate showing that he be qualified to command; also, that his first and second officers are likewise capable of navigating the ship, so in time of need they are able to take the place of their chief. Is it not of equal necessity that a city of Victoria's importance should be properly governed in regard to the police force? which is sadly inefficient at present. People's lives and property are comparatively speaking, unprotected. It is the duty of the mayor and council to remedy this evil in our fair city. It is false economy to employ persons for positions they are unqualified to fill—indeed, it is imperative for the safety and welfare of the people that we have a good and able police force, well governed and disciplined. A CITIZEN.

Lord Randolph in Berlin.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—The Berlin correspondent of the News says he saw two English gentlemen alight at the railway station in Berlin on Tuesday night, who registered at the Kaiserhof Hotel as "Spencer" and "Trafford." The correspondent, who is an Englishman, says he is certain that "Spencer" is Lord Randolph Churchill. The Kaiserhof Hotel is within a stone's throw of the palace of the German Chancellor and the Foreign Office. Without doubt Churchill has already had a private interview with Count Herbert Bismarck, and he will probably go to Varzin to see Prince Bismarck.

AN ENCOURAGING PAT.

The Standard says: "Assuredly business and not pleasure is taking Lord Randolph Churchill to Berlin, for an English Minister to go to Berlin and not see Bismarck is like a visit to Rome without seeing St. Peter's. We appreciate the talent and recognize the growing distinction of Lord Randolph. We may almost claim him as a pupil, because since he gained his present position he has abandoned the foolish schoolboy tricks which disfigured his earlier career. His trip to Berlin is evidence of a new departure in diplomacy, the introduction of direct instead of ambassadorial communications." The Standard endeavors to refute the statement that Churchill has adopted Radical measures. It says the Dartford speech affords no ground for the belief that the Government contemplates astonishing the world with a daring or eccentric policy likely to undermine the stability of Conservative interests. There is nothing at variance with Conservative traditions in the new programme.

A FISHERMAN'S FREE FIGHT.

A fight between English and French fishermen occurred to-day at Ramsgate. Finally the police took the Frenchmen under their protection and escorted them to their boats. Several of the fishermen on both sides were injured during the fight. The fight arose out of disputes about responsibility for frequent thefts of nets in Ramsgate Harbor recently, the English charging the Frenchmen with pilfering.

THE OTHER SIDE OF THE QUESTION.

The Berlin correspondent of The News adheres to his story that Lord Churchill registered at an hotel under an assumed name, but admits that he did not visit the British embassy. Lord Churchill, he says, has gone to Dresden. The Chronicle confirms The News' story, and says it is shrewdly suspected that though Churchill started ostensibly for Dresden he is really at Varzin for the purpose of visiting Bismarck. The Standard's correspondent at Berlin says there is little doubt that an interview between Bismarck and Churchill, if one has not already been held, will be soon arranged.

Dancing Academy.

Mrs. Dickinson resumed her dancing classes Saturday October 2nd, at 2.30 p. m. Parents wishing information will please apply at the Kindergarten, corner Kane and Blanchard, between the hours of 9.30 and 2 p. m. *

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YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

ENGLAND.

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The gale and floods which began on Thursday night along the English and Irish coasts continue, having extended far northward. Many reports of bridges and buildings being swept away are constantly coming in.

The troop ship Tile, thirty hours overdue at Plymouth, has been sighted off there, laboring terribly in the storm. Great anxiety has been entertained concerning her for the past 24 hours. The British ship Sevioldale, which sailed from Cardiff, Wales, on Thursday last, was wrecked during the storm on Caermathel bar. There were on board at the time 29 persons. A boat rescued 19 from the wreck. The others among whom were the captain and officers left in a boat and but two succeeded in reaching the shore alive. The other seventeen perished.

The hurricane which has just passed over England and Ireland was accompanied by the heaviest rains within memory. During last night there were many collisions and wrecks, and a number of channel fishing vessels were stranded. The beach at Brighton presented a spectacle of destruction. A torpedo gunboat at Portsmouth dragged anchor and drifted in the mud, but was afterwards rescued by the tug Gloss. The roof of the Ilfracomb hotel was broken and bath houses were washed away. The storm was very furious on the Irish coast. Streets in many towns were flooded; corn stacks were blown away and corn standing was destroyed. The damage is immense, as it has been the most destructive flood in these waters.

IRELAND.

ULSTER, Oct. 16.—The storm and floods seriously impede railway traffic. Many small vessels have been wrecked. The loss of life ashore so far caused by the storm has been very great. The British bark Belleport has been wrecked off Skillings Island on the southwest coast of Ireland. She was being towed by the tug Gamecock when the hawser parted and she was thrown on the rocky shore and destroyed. All of her crew perished.

UNITED STATES.

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 16.—It is now learned that eighty-five of the inhabitants of Johnson's Bayou lost their lives in the storm. Forty of their bodies have been recovered and consigned to graves in the shell reefs, while the decomposing corpses of the remaining forty-five lie festering in the marshes. Radford was very thickly settled, and when the storm began on Tuesday everyone took to their homes and waited with bated breath the fate which they foresaw. The waters began rising, the wind swept through the lower stories of the buildings, driving the people into the alleys and upon the roofs. By ten o'clock the first wing, which was twelve feet above the sea level, was ten feet under water. House after house fell in or was swept away, either burying the drowned people in the debris or hurling them into the hissing waters. The villages of Radford and Johnson were destroyed completely, as if an invading army had done the work. For twelve hours the storm raged. Of eight thousand head of stock, which once the Bayou boasted, six thousand are drowned, while the remainder will die of thirst, as all the water is salt.

BEAUMONT, Tex., Oct. 16.—Fifteen bodies were recovered on the high land called Rock Ridge, west of Sabine, and were buried. Six bodies of women were recovered on the west shore of the lake—two colored and four white.

Fresh Fashion Notes.

Rich toilets are again displayed, which show skirts of broad striped materials, to be worn under bodices and tunics of plain textiles in monochrome.

Among new white toilets for evening dress are those of ivory and cream white faille Francais, and also of plain white satin, with corsages V-shaped, or slightly rounded front and back.

Instead of the inevitable fur-lined cloak for general wear we are to have in their stead long circulars made of eider down, handsomely covered, and trimmed with bands of fur of various kinds.

Among what are known as demi-season toilets in Paris are those of camel's hair trimmed with figured cashmere in Persian or Indian designs. Silk, velvet, broché and richly brocaded satins are reserved mostly for full-dress occasions, and in demi-toilets are also noted those composed of two different fabrics, one of these being almost invariably a striped material.

In the list of beautiful garnitures for bodices and sleeves to evening dresses are half berthas, which is to say a trimming bordering the V shape or rounding curve on half-low corsages. They are made of two rows of rich lace run together on their plain sides, and through the centre of these, where the edges meet, is run a tiny band or cordon of flowers or else a string of seed pearls.

Engagement Rings.

In all things fashionable in personal apparel France is the authority *par excellence*, and with regard to engagement rings, which are said to be mostly required at this season of the year, one of the oracles delivers itself thus: "The first of the presents which must be made to an affianced bride ought to be the engagement ring; this ring must be forever kept by the woman; it is the first openly avowed gage of love; it should be of perfect taste and at the same time not inconvenient to the wearer (which remark, considering that the custom of *marriage de convenance* is still very much adhered to in France, has a slightly sarcastic tone). I would not choose the ruby; it it is too showy, loud and indiscreet. My taste inclines toward the sapphire and the diamond, of which the one does not go well without the other. I should not choose a large sapphire surrounded by diamonds; I should ask our jeweller artists to interlace in happy combination the sapphire and the diamond. The turquois is also a tasteful stone, but when it is constantly worn it has the immense disadvantage to change its color, and to this change most women attach a sad and sentimental superstition. It should, therefore, not be chosen for the first present, which is worn and cherished while life lasts, and which remains from the days of youth while everything else changes.—*Pall Mall Gazette.*

Dancing School.

Mr. and Mrs. Kettle will open their afternoon dancing class for children on next Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The evening class as usual Monday and Friday evenings. For further particulars apply at the residence, John street, Rock Bay. *

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A COUNT'S REVENGE.

Capturing a Brace of Thieves.

Paris letter to the London Daily News: A Russian consul, Count Dimitri de Noroff, who often stops at Paris, has good reason to thank his stars for a singular piece of luck. Two months ago he met in a cafe two gentlemen, faultlessly got up, with whom he entered into conversation. During a stroll on the Boulevard which they afterwards took together, the two friends knocked him down without warning and ran away with 4000 rubles, or £480, which they found in his pocket-book. Last week, after a stay in Moscow which had almost effaced the incident from his recollection, M. de Noroff was walking in the evening down the Champs Elysees when he saw one of his assailants taking the air in front of a cafe chantant. He instantly gripped him by the throat, but not tightly enough to prevent his escape, and an exciting chase ensued across the benches of the cafe, whose occupants expressed some astonishment at the precipitate movements of the stylish gentleman and his partner. M. de Noroff, however, was not to be foiled, and effected a clever capture. The man, after some denial before the commissary, was proved to be the thief, and disgorged the entire sum of money, which he had considerately preserved intact during M. de Noroff's absence in Russia. But the story does not end here. Only yesterday, as he was posting a letter, who should M. de Noroff see but the second thief waiting to put two large envelopes into the box He also was secured with the assistance of a telegraph clerk, and identified by an elegant cameo ring on his forefinger. Moreover the two envelopes were found to contain several bundles of forged bank notes, so that both thieves stand a good chance of conviction. There is a dramatic completeness in M. de Noroff's revenge.

Eastern Canada Mail.

Per Canadian Pacific Railway.

BARRIE, Ont., Oct. 7.—Albert Kelly has been convicted of manslaughter, and sentenced for fifteen years in penitentiary for killing Sloan, a West Williamsbury farmer, for whom he worked. Since his conviction Kelly has written a letter to Sloan's widow, in which he expresses contrition for the deed and says: "My wages that were due me amounted to $110, for which I herewith send you a receipt in full. However small the mite—it is all that I possess in this world. Had I more you should have it. Hoping you will forgive this greatest error of my life I will say farewell, while I bow in submissive respect to the law of my country."

MONTREAL, Oct. 12.—The club house of the Victoria Boating Club at Point St. Charles, was burned to the ground and twenty valuable boats consumed. The loss is very nearly $3,000.

The electric light has proved so satisfactory here that eighty-five miles of streets running from east to west are being now lit by it, and that system will be extended to the intersecting streets running north and south.

TORONTO, Oct. 11.—Mrs. Kelly aged 80, was instantly killed in Boyd Bros. elevator in endeavoring to get out while ascending. Her head got caught between the floor of the building and the floor of the elevator and was crushed to a jelly.

In reference to the defalcation of Neeld of the packing house of Ferguson & Co., Chicago, a prominent official of the Bank of British North America said their loss would not amount to anything like $95,000, and that the Montreal bank escaped scot free.

HALIFAX, Oct. 10.—Gen. Booth, of the Salvation Army arrived here yesterday. He was received at the Intercolonial station by an immense crowd, and delivered an address.

Sir Charles' Pamphlet.

A London cable says: A private pamphlet has been issued on behalf of Sir Charles Dilke in the notorious divorce case, which states that the plan which Mrs. Crawford drew, at the suggestion of the jury, of the room in Warren street which figured so largely in the testimony of the prosecution, and where it was alleged she met Sir Charles Dilke, was not seen until after the judge's summing up, by anybody really acquainted with the actual plan of the room. Mrs. Crawford's description it is affirmed, put the door on the wrong side of the room, and failed to mention the most prominent object in the room—a large Roman Catholic image. Even if the plan was correct, it is stated, it would have failed to prove the truth of Mrs. Crawford's allegations, because the detective who was employed by her visited the house only in November. The pamphlet also states that Mrs. Crawford's description of the bedroom in Sloane street was not original and genuine, but was simply copied from the description given in court by Ellen Drake, the servant, who preceded Mrs. Crawford in the witness box. The latter, therefore, copied the mistake made by Ellen Drake, and thus betrayed, it is asserted the falsity of her own statements.

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A NEW JOURNAL.

A Newspaper Venture in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 9.—The Gazette, a daily newspaper about the size of the Sun, made its first appearance to-day. The paper is practically a new departure, as it will pay no attention to crime of any sort, and devote most of its space to art, music and literature. It will contain news of general interest and be a family newspaper. It is said that Philadelphia parties are backing the venture.

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Victoria, Oct. 16th, 1886. oc17

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PASSENGERS.

Per str AMELIA, fm Nanaimo—Flewitt, Mowatt, Miss Ward, Barker, Musgrave, Miss Chumley, McLellan, Mrs Dawson, Mrs Langley, Langley and others.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, from Puget Sound—E Turner, F T Barkow, M Raphali, G A McCullough, James Campbell and wf, W G Hume, D Sutton, D W Stevens, Miss Harris, Miss Carter, Capt DeLion, Capt Pierce, A Cromby, Jas Jackson, Mrs A Block, L M Aumack, O Natson, W McClain, H W Sutton, M Secrist, Mrs Harris, Mrs Caeser and child.

Per str PRINCESS LOUISE, fm Burrard Inlet—E C Neufelder, Chas Rhodes, D E Brown, A Brice, Miss McDonald, Miss Curry, D Hogan, T McCauley, W H Howell, Gannaway, T M Henderson and wf, J B Henderson, G E Adams, G Jones, M Thyson, Robins, Fuller, Miller, J Reece.

Per str R. P. RITHET, fm Port Hammond—Miss Wood, Miss Shields, Miss Uren, Mrs Radford, H J Cambie, J Fannin, H G Walker, T F Sinclair, Murray, I Van Volkenburgh, McKenzie, H E Davis, J Dwyer and others.

CONSIGNEES.

Per str R. P. RITHET fm Port Hammond—H B Co, Geo Bartlett, Loewen & Erb, S Leiser, Boscowitz, Capt Jno Irving, J H Brown, Van V & Bro, C S Finlalson, R Harvey, Shears & Page, J Hartnell, Dom Exp Co, Vict Transfer Co, Ralph, Bates, Dwyer, Martin, F Page, R Baker & Son, N Dickey, A A Green.

Per str NORTH PACIFIC, from Puget Sound—E B Marvin, J Weller, Neufelder & Ross, S J Pitts, Van Volkenburgh, W R Megan, N Portman.

Per str PRINCESS LOUISE, from Burrard Inlet—Miss Frares, Albion Iron Wks, Andrew Gray, Dom Exp Co.

Letters Detained for Postage at Victoria P. O.

October 16, 1886.

Herne, Phil., Seattle, W. T.
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Business Change.

With yesterday's issue *The Colonist* passed out of the hands of Mr. D. W. Higgins and into those of Messrs. Ellis & Co. The retiring proprietor has been connected with the press of the coast for 31 years. He was one of the founders of the San Francisco Call in 1856. He joined *The Colonist* (then the property of Mr. DeCosmos) in February 1860. In company with Mr. McMillan (now high sheriff) he established the Daily Chronicle in this city in October, 1862. In June, 1866, *The Colonist* and Chronicle were united with Higgins & Long as proprietors. In January, 1869, the interest of Mr. Long was purchased by his partner who has since conducted the paper and the several businesses connected with it. Mr. Higgins left for the east this morning. At Winnipeg he will meet Mayor Fell, and with him will visit the chief cities of the eastern provinces, where they will examine the working of the sewerage, police, public market and other systems connected with the various municipalities, with the object of introducing extensive civic reforms here.

Personal.

Mr. Arthur Todd, of Kokesalah, is in town.

Mr. H. J. Cambie, C.E., was a passenger from New Westminster yesterday.

Messrs. E. C. Neufelder, Chas. Rhodes and D. E. Brown, came down on the Princess Louise last night.

Austin Brice, New Westminster; J. N. Henderson and F. M. Henderson, Montreal, are registered at the Clarence.

Mr. Wm. M. Halpenny, government guide, has returned from Alberni where he located four new settlers.

Mr. E. W. McLean, San Francisco; Mr. R. R. Gultner and Miss Black, Seattle, are registered at the Driard.

Mr. T. F. Sinclair, Port Haney; Capt. J. T. Carver, Seaspert, Maine, and Mr. N. Burke, Nanaimo, are at the Oriental.

At the Occidental: G. Hunter, South Saanich; W. C. Jaynes, Quamiachan; P. Roberts, Chemainus.

Hon. S. N. Richards and Mrs. Richards will leave on Tuesday for Bermuda where they will spend the winter.

At the Clarence: W. G. Ronald, Port Townsend; J. G. Barkow, Corvallis, Or., Jno. Murray, jr., Port Moody; W. G. Hamlin, F. C. Young, Seattle.

Mr. Hughes, Indian agent at Metlakahla, who has been ill at the Clarence during the past week is now able to be around.

At latest accounts last evening Major Dupont's condition had not changed during the past two days. His case is critical but his physicians now hope for a favorable result.

Mr. John Fannin, curator of the B. C. museum, arrived down yesterday from a hunting expedition in the Similkameen and north arm of Burrard Inlet with a number of New York sportsmen, and is registered at the Oriental.

Mr. T. H. Barker, secretary of the Liverpool chamber of commerce, who has been visiting different parts of the province in the interests of the chamber as well as with an eye to private speculation, left this morning for the east *via* the Canadian Pacific railway.

Cumming's Body Found.

(Exclusive to The Colonist.)

NANAIMO, Oct. 16.—The body of Cummings, who was drowned by the upsetting of a boat some five weeks ago from the Queen of the Pacific was found today at Jack's point.

Church Notices.

The pastor will preach at both services to-morrow in the Baptist church. The subject of the evening sermon will be, "The unfruitful works of darkness"—a temperance address.

MISSION SCHOOL.—The Baptist congregation of this city have purchased a lot on Chatham street near the corner of Fernwood road with a view to erecting a building for the Baptist mission Sunday school at Spring ridge. The latter has now a considerable attendance.

JUST ARRIVED, DIRECT FROM THE FACTORY, A FINE ASSORTMENT OF MARLIN RIFLES, AT H. SHORT'S, GUNMAKER, FORT STREET. 2w

DIVORCE.—The case of Russell vs. Russell comes up in the supreme court to-morrow before Mr. Justice Gray.

BUSH-PAINE.

The Sculling Race Won Easily by the Champion.

The boat race for the championship of British Columbia and $1000, between William Paine and Charles Bush, was witnessed by a large crowd of spectators yesterday afternoon, and diversified opinions as to the merits of the two contestants were freely expressed. Paine was the favorite in sporting circles and odds of 6 to 4 and 2 to 1 were freely offered. Considerable caution was manifest, however, when it was discovered that several of these offers found takers from men who are well posted in our local sports, and the outsiders could not understand this movement. The evident intention, however, was to increase confidence in Bush's chances by his friends. About four o'clock the steamers and the wharves along the course were black with people, and every available space on the iron bridge was taken and a splendid view of the race was afforded from this point. The harbor was lively with many small boats that glided indiscriminately over the smooth water, while occassionally an impromptu trial of speed could be seen between ambitious oarsmen, who desired to "show off a little, you know." The oarsmen were prompt in their appearance on the course, and a few moments after four Bush was seen spurting across the harbor, followed soon after by Paine from Beckwith's boat-house. Paine was in the same boat with which he defeated Cotsford, and Bush was in the boat used by Lee when he rowed with Hanlan here. The two men took their positions between two flag stakes at the starting point. Mr. R. Broderick gave the word and they were off. Paine caught the water a few seconds ahead of his opponent and by a few rapid strokes gained half a boat length. At this moment betting along the shore was quite spirited and $100 to $30 on Paine was freely offered with no takers. Both men were pulling a 35 stroke and kept close together until opposite the C. P. N. Co.'s wharf, when Paine increased his stroke to 37 and had gained two boat lengths as they passed the point opposite Turner & Beeton's wharf. Bush spurted but failed to lessen the lead, and just beyond the boathouse he dropped his stroke to 32, while Paine kept an easy lead of four lengths. He was cool, and calculated the powers of his opponent rightly when he called out "Come on, Bush!" "That's all right," replied Bush, who evidently expected Paine would exhaust himself by keeping such a strong lead, while he would reserve his strength for the home stretch and by a spurt gain the lead. But Paine had not overrated his "staying qualities" and maintained a determined lead to the turning stake, which he rounded several seconds in advance of Bush. Both men made a good turn and started down the course rowing a 37 stroke. Bush spurted twice in the hope of gaining a lead, but Paine kept on steadily with a splendid exhibition of sculling which was loudly applauded as he passed under the bridge. On nearing the finish Bush gained slightly and succeeded in coming up within four lengths but kept up his stroke with an effort, while Paine passed the line with the same steady stroke, an easy winner by four boat lengths; time, 20:30. Considerable money changed hands in the crowd, and the general opinion was that Paine had well earned his title once more to the championship of British Columbia which he has held undisputed for two years against several fast scullers, whom he has beaten. He is twenty-five years of age, of good physique and unusally large muscular development for one of his build, and it is doubtful if he can be beaten by any oarsman on the coast. Paine says he does not want any more boat racing and is satisfied to retire from the course. Mr. John Braden and Mr. J. R. McKenzie acted as judges for Paine, Mr. J. Stewart and Mr. J. Wallace for Bush. Altogether the race was exciting and from the enthusiasm evinced it is apparent that a regular series of sculling races would be heartily supported in Victoria.

Mainland News.

(Columbian.)

The extent of the business which came up before the assize court at Lytton at the autumn term, which opened on Monday last, was considerable, a fact that does not speak very well for that part of the country. In addition to the cases referred to yesterday, two Chinese were tried for the murder of one Edwin Holloway, a track walker, at Lytton. The evidence, however, was not considered sufficient to convict the prisoners, and they were acquitted. Mr. McColl (Corbould & McColl) appeared for the defense. Wm. Webster, convicted of stealing cattle, was sentenced to two years in the penitentiary. Six young men were tried for stealing baggage from the C. P. R. station at Lytton, inasmuch as they had picked up a valise and had failed to seek the owner. Two of them were acquitted, and in the case of the other four a verdict of guilty was returned with a recommendation to mercy. They were allowed to enter into recognisance to appear for sentence when called upon.

ISLAND RAILWAY.—It is understood that on Friday afternoon all matters in connection with the McLellan & Earle contract of the Island railway were closed, the contractors coming out with a good round profit. It is noteworthy that on this section of the construction of the Island railway contractors and sub-contractors have all made money, and as a consequence retired from work content with results. The same may be said of the Bell, Larkin & Paterson contract. This condition of things is of so rare occurrence that it is a fact worthy to be recorded and one which must be especially gratifying to Mr. Dunsmuir, the energetic president and builder of the road.

SUDDEN DEATH.—On Thursday morning Mr. John F. Harvey, one of Wellington's most respected citizens was found dead in bed. He was secretary of the hospital entertainment committee, and attended a meeting on Wednesday evening, at which time he appeared in good health and spirits. The deceased was a member of Unity Encampment and Harmony Lodge of Odd Fellows, of Wellington, and the funeral will take place this afternoon under the auspices of that society. An inquest was held and a verdict of death by heart disease returned.

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CLOSING THE GATES.—The management of the outer wharf have decided to close the gates entering from Dallas road against hacks and hotel runners until steamers have been docked and passengers landed.

OFFICE DIARIES FOR 1887 JUST RECEIVED AT T. N. HIBBEN & CO'S

THE FASTEST TRIP ON RECORD.

The German Tea Vessel "Bylgia" Arrives in 22½ days from Yokohama.

From a passenger by the German bark Bylgia, Capt. Paul Weiss, I. G. N. R., now discharging her cargo of tea at Port Moody, a reporter of *The Colonist* gained some interesting facts in connection with the unprecedented by quick

PASSAGE OF 22½ DAYS

from Yokohama to Cape Flattery, this beating the last record by nearly a fort night. The distance is close upon 4800 miles from land to land. The bark is 333 tons burden and is the property of Consul G. Lund, Alton-Hamburg. She was built by Peterson of Korsoer, of the finest Norwegian oak, rigged and trimmed with the greatest care and carries first-class officers and crew. She has, according to her logbook, experienced the nuisance of a couple of days variable winds and calms, and yet has come up to the average time laid down for the

MAIL STEAM SERVICE,

soon to be started from this province to the land of the rising sun. It has aided the C. P. R.'s management in their efforts to induce eastern teashippers to avail themselves of this new and decidedly shortest international route for shipments of any kind.

On comparing the Bylgia's chart with the maps of the C. P. R., showing the intended line mapped out for the proposed steam service, it is demonstrated that she has actually been able through her superior sailing capacities and the favorable westerly winds to run the future mail track without deviations of any importance. Capt. Weiss regretted very much not finding a tug-boat in readiness at Cape Flattery which would have enabled him to arrive at Port Moody within 24 days from Japan, instead of beating about several days in the straits until an American tug took him up to the roads. This latter is only another instance to prove the necessity of

ESTABLISHING A GOVERNMENT STATION

at the entrance to the straits, so that in the case of a vessel wanting a tow or being in distress the telegraph would immediately summon a tug from Victoria to her assistance.

The C. P. R officials are elated over the quick tip of the Bylgia and the fact was telegraphed to all points. It will materially aid their efforts in directing the Oriental trade over their line of railway.

Piano Factory.

Messrs. Goodwin & Jordan have taken the premises lately occupied by Captain Macdonald, on Cormorant street; and we responded to an invitation to view the premises and inspect the work in progress. Of Mr. Goodwin we have already spoken as a maker of high class pianos, the last piano he produced being played upon by several of our leading amateur pianists and pronounced eminently satisfactory. Mr. Jordan, his partner, has for many years worked in the finishing department of the most eminent houses in America and holds certificates from the celebrated houses of Chickering, Mason & Hamlin and others. We were shown over the different rooms devoted to the various branches of the piano making, and were much interested as the technical portions, and the numerous stages the instrument passes through before completion were explained to us. Two instruments will be ready for exhibition in a week or ten days, and six more are in a forward state. As these pianos combine all the latest improvements, together with Mr. Goodwin's patents, and are guaranteed for ten years, the public will have a high class piano at a reduction of at least thirty per cent. from the eastern prices, that amount representing the duty and freight.

I. O. G. T. Lodge.

This gathering of temperance workers at Nanaimo, whose opening sessions on Thursday we reported, closed its sessions on Friday afternoon. There was a large attendance of delegates and of other members of the Grand lodge, and the warm interest which they manifested in the debates and discussions during each session, evinc clearly the healthy growth and increasing strength of the Good Templar organization. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: G. C. T., Bro. J. A. Wood; G. C., Bro. S. H. Myers; G. V. T., Sister S. Cummings; G. S., Bro. S. Gough; G. T., Sister A. S. Bailey; S. J. T., Bro. S. F. Holt; G. M., Bro. C. S. Keith; G. D. M., Bro. A. H. King; G. C., Bro. C. Bryant; P. G. C. T., Bro. R. B. Hemlaw; G. I. G., Bro. W. E Losee; G. Sentinel, R. G. Pike; G. O. S., A. Godfrey.

It was resolved to procure, if possible, the services of the Hon. J. B. Finch and others, to visit every community in the province.

County Court.

(Before Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J.)

Fen Joe v. Irvine—This case, which has occupied the attention of the court for two days, was brought by Fen Joe to recover the sum of $777 for bricks made under a contract entered into in February last. The defendant put in a set-off for $1,000 in excess of plaintiff's claim for damages for breach of contract. Judgment for plaintiff for $611.90. Mr. Wootten for plaintiff; Mr. Drake, Q. C., for defendant.

Cattle in the Interior.

From Mr. Duck (of Duck & Pringles) it is learned that the scarcity of grass on the ranges causes the liveliest concern for the safety of the cattle. There has been no rain for months and the ground is parched and dry. The same condition of things exists in Montana and in parts of the northwest. Stockraisers of the northwest have bought 6000 head of cattle and 2000 head of horses from British Columbia raisers during the past season.

NEW ENGLAND BAKERY.—Bread, cakes, pies and pastry of all kinds, fresh oysters by the bottle or sack, promptly delivered to all parts of the city.—YOUNG BROS., Government street. *

THE WIRES.—The wires of the C. P. R. east of Donald and those of the Western Union were both down last night—consequence, no dispatches. There is evidently a heavy storm in the mountains.

SALE OF A FARM.—Mr. Arthur Todd of Revelstoke has sold Springburn farm of 250 acres to a gentleman lately from Canada for a handsome sum.

THE LATEST NOVEL, "The Heir of the Ages," by James Payne, for sale by T. N. Hibben & Co. *

Football.

The return match of the Navy and Victoria football teams was played on Beacon hill yesterday afternoon in presence of a very few spectators, owing probably to the rowing match for the championship of British Columbia on the harbor. Precisely at 3 o'clock the ball was put in motion by Ward, of Victoria, who had elected to play the Victoria end of the field, and was quickly returned by the Navy to the centre, play for the next ten minutes being confined wholly to the Navy. Victoria gradually pressed them back and the Navy were forced in self defense to touch down twice. Ward managed to get hold of the ball from a scrummage and after a splendid run, placed the ball directly behind the posts and from a place by himself Drake scored a goal, thus giving Victoria the first point. Soon after, Petch, of the Navy, equalised matters by kicking a goal from a drop kick. From the kick off, play was very much confined to the centre, until Playfair making a run of three-quarters of the field was collared near the Navy goal line, but passed the ball to Ward who placed it behind the goal line. Drake placed the kick, but Ward failed to convert it into a goal. Changing ends at half-time, a very perceptible difference was noted in the Navy play, their passing, instead of individual playing being excellent, whereas the Victorians seemed imbued with the idea that individual and therefore selfish play was the only thing needed, a mistake which at the end of the game proved to be erroneous The ball was kept well in the centre until from a miss from Brealey, Petch landed the leather behind the Victoria goal, which Petch from the try converted into a goal. Ward from the center kicked the leather behind the Navy goal line, when Bath was very undecided whether he should touch down or not, thereby allowing one or two Victorians to get very close. A very pretty piece of passing here took place between Petch and Bath, who by repeated passing carried the leather between them three-quarters of the field, when time was called, the Navy winning by 2 goals to 1 goal and a try. For the Navy Fisher, Bath, Grafton and Petch were conspicuous by their fine playing and passing, while Victoria had a good running representative in Ward. Playfair and Hawthornthwaite showed exceptionally good qualities in collaring.

Marine.

The bark Zoroya is loading lumber at Hastings mills for Melbourne.

Ship Commodore is now taking on a cargo of Wellington coal.

The British bark Plymouth sailed for China from Moodyville with 950,000 feet of lumber valued at $10,125.

The British bark Premier, Capt. T. N. Bowe, has arrived at Port Discovery from Chili.

Steamship Mexico sailed from the outer wharf for San Francisco at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Ship Lucy A. Nickells has completed her cargo of V. C. C. Co.'s coal for San Francisco.

Ship Ivy is about 55 days out from Melbourne, bound for Nanaimo to load V. C. Co.'s coal for San Francisco.

Bark Otago (in tow of the American steamer Blakely), arrived at Departure Bay on Thursday and will take on a cargo of East Wellington coal.

The steamship Barnard Castle lately purchased by R. Dunsmuir & Sons, left San Francisco yesterday morning for Departure Bay, Capt. Urquhart in command.

ST. JOHN, Oct. 16.—On Friday night, schooner Emeline, Capt. Grant, bound from St. Pierre to Bay Despair, struck on Oragon promontory, Hermitage Bay, west coast of Newfoundland, and sank immediately. The captain and crew of six men were lost.

From a private source it is learned that the tea vessel which was supposed to be now due was detained in Yokohama on account of the presence of one case of cholera on board, contracted while the vessel was at Kobe. She had cleared from Yokohama on the 2nd September but was afterwards detained. The Manifest arrived at Port Moody last Wednesday and it is probable that the vessel has sailed ere this.

PORT TOWNSEND, Oct. 15.—The British bark Premier, Captain Rowe, arrived in Port Discovery to-day. She reports meeting the British steamship Wellington bound to Nanaimo on the 9th inst., about 80 miles off Cape Flattery, broken down. The Premier stayed in company with the steamer for 13 hours. The Wellington was being repaired when the bark left. She needed no assistance, as the weather was fine and the damage done was supposed to be slight. The steamer was drifting southward when the bark left her.

PORT COLBORNE, Oct. 14.—The tug Rooth has returned here, and reports that the schooner George M. Chase, Captain Cook, grain laden, bound from Chicago to Buffalo, has foundered. When the Rooth reached the ill-fated vessel, she found the tug W. A. Moore there, and together they saved four of the crew, whom they found clinging to the spars, which stuck up out of the water. Captain Cook and one man never came up after the vessel went down.

Awarded First Prize.

The first and only prize at the Provincial Fair to sewing machines was given to the light running Domestic, as being the best family sewing machine in all points of merit, by competent judges. Diplomas of merit were given the Domestic for the best plain sewing, best araseine embroidery, best chenille embroidery, best conchen. Mr. T. W. Fletcher is agent for the Domestic in Victoria. 2w

NEW AND SECOND-HAND

CLOTHING BOUGHT AND SOLD.—Highest cash price paid for *Superfluous or Cast off Garments, Blankets and Overcoats.* TRAVELERS having a superfluity of clothing can sell them for cash to

N. POINTER, Johnson st., near Broad.

THE RAILWAY EXCURSIONS.—The Sunday trips of the E. & N. railway trains have been the means of furnishing a pleasant outing in the country to many who previously were unable to secure the luxury, or had to go to the expense of hiring horses for the day. It furnishes a less costly and immensely more beneficial way of spending the day than that furnished by the saloons. A little relaxation from the every day duties of life and a change of air will do more to give permanence to the health than a long account with the physician.

POLICE NOTES.—John Rowe, charged with violating the license bylaw, case dismissed....John Johnson d. d. was fined $5.

TEN CENTS School Companions at T. N. HIBBEN & Co.'s. *

AT THE BUTTS.

Competition for the Laurie Bugle---The Artillery Team Victorious.

The competition for the annual ownership of the silver bugle presented by Major-General Laurie, late deputy-adjutant general of this military district, to the active militia of the province, took place at the Clover Point range yesterday afternoon.

This bugle had been previously fired for at the annual prize meeting of the Provincial Rifle association at New Westminster in August last, by teams representing New Westminster and Victoria respectively, and was on that occasion won by the Victoria team.

As the conditions under which this bugle was presented require a further competition amongst the corps established in the locality represented by the winning team to decide which corps shall have the honor of holding it, the B. C. brigade of Garrison Artillery and the Victoria Rifle company each brought to the front their strongest team of ten men each.

The firing was at the 200, 400 and 600 yard ranges, five shots at each range, and resulted in favor of the team representing the Garrison Artillery by 24 points, as will be seen by the following score:

ARTILLERY TEAM.

	Yards 200	400	600	Tl.
Lt.-Col. Wolfenden	14	19	15	48
Bomb. Newbury	16	19	13	48
Gunner Braund	17	14	14	45
Gunner Hinsby	19	18	4	41
Gunner Carmichael	14	13	9	36
Gunner Wolfenden	16	16	2	34
Gunner Atkins	10	19	3	32
Corporal Williams	13	11	6	30
Corporal Maclure	15	13	2	30
Captain Nicholles	14	4	2	20
Total				364

RIFLES' TEAM.

	Yards 200	400	600	Tl.
Sergt. Roper	12	20	8	40
Pte. Newbury	15	18	5	38
Corpl. Fawcett	4	11	11	36
Lieut. Woolacott	12	18	5	35
Pte. Roper	16	9	9	34
Corpl. Mallandaine	12	16	6	34
Pte. J. Henly	15	10	8	33
Pte H. Henly	16	14	3	33
Capt. Green	11	15	3	29
Pte. Drewery	11	13	4	28
Total				340

The weather was somewhat inclement and the light bad, which made fine shooting a matter of difficulty. The bugle will remain in the charge of Captain Nicholles' battery, the members of which, with one exception, comprised the team, and which has the reputation of being the best shooting battery in the brigade.

What Some People Say.

That Meyer Karl Rothschild, head of the great banking firm died suddenly yesterday of heart disease.

That a choice assortment of English walking sticks, just received, at John Barnsley's, gunsmith, Fort street. 1m

That Edinboro' and Burton ales are always on draught at the Occidental Hotel. *

That for fresh island butter and fine groceries at lowest rates go to Wightman's, corner Fort and Douglas streets. *

That out in Arizona when a young lady becomes passé she is called a chestnut bell. And yet no fellow dares to ring her.

That the Occidental hotel maintains its name as one of the first class family hotels in this city. It makes its guests feel at home even when away from home. 1m

That a splendid assortment of briar, wood and other pipes just arrived from London, England, at H. Short's, Fort street. *

That a little New York girl committed suicide because her mother rebuked her for neglecting her piano practice. Considerate girl; cruel mother; happy neighbors.

That the Pall Mall Gazette makes the odd statement that Queen Victoria owns the finest set in existence of the autographs of the signers of the American Declaration of Independence.

That specimens of steel rails from the South Carolina Railroad, twisted into a reverse curve by earthquake power, have been forwarded by Prof. Earle Sloane to the Smithsonian Institute.

That the Empress of Austria is still losing health. She would seek aid at the Shrine of Lourdes, only she dislikes the French government too much to go upon French soil, even incog.

That Archduke Joseph of Austria has written a grammar of the language of the gypsies. It bears the taking title of "Romanoesibakerosziklaaibe," and the manuscript consists of 239 folio pages, exclusive of the title.

That parties wishing hotel accommodations should go to the Clarence, now considered the leading hotel in Victoria. The table is unsurpassed. Board by the day, week, or month at moderate rates. 1m

That a Knoxville, Tenn., couple have outraged local public sentiment, not by eloping, but by getting a colored clergyman to make them one. The old inhabitants remark that such things couldn't have been done "befo de wah."

That the Buffalo Courier tells of a well known lawyer who, while playing at a wheel of fortune, thought he detected trickery on the part of the man who operated the wheel, and who made the operators stand away from the table while he played. He then won, and the Courier says the moral is, "keep the man who turns the wheel away from the table." A more pertinent moral would be, let the man who wants to play against the wheel keep away from the table.

That a remarkable spring is reported to have been discovered near Princeton, Ky., which may prove a boon to the victims of Kentucky whiskey. It is claimed that a spinster born in 1776 who has drank of this water has changed to a blooming girl of "sweet 16;" and that an old man of 80 who has several times drank of the water feels as young as he did at 20 years of age, and is delivering temperance lectures.

FRASER RIVER SALMON.—The Western Slope, Capt. Leach, arrived down on Friday night with 2000 cases salmon from the Bon Accord fishery, and 2,320 cases from Ewen's cannery, all consigned to Robert Ward & Co. She also brought 326 cases from Deas island, consigned to Findlay, Durham & Brodie. These latter were placed on the wharf and the former are being transferred to the Jessie Stowe, chartered for England. The Slope will continue salmon freighting for several trips.

FROM THE LIGHT.—The Sir Jas. Douglas, Capt. Devereaux, arrived last evening from Cape Beale lighthouse, where she delivered the winter's supplies. One vessel was seen beating up the straits, and several others bound out. The weather looked uncertain and squally.

FOR PUGET SOUND.—A large amount of freight is at the outer wharf billed to Puget Sound ports, while other cargoes are on the way over the C.P.R. Our American cousins are taking advantage of the cheap rates.

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The Reported Accident to the S. S. Wellington.

The telegraphic report in the two papers last evening with reference to the steamship Wellington, owned by Dunsmuir & Sons, stating that she had broken down 80 miles off Cape Flattery, is entirely untrue. Mr. R. Dunsmuir, M. P. P., received a telegram from San Francisco last night stating that the Wellington was still there and would not leave until Saturday next. The steamship that must have been seen was probably the Sardonyx on the way to San Francisco for repairs.

AT THE VICTORIA.—The performance at The Victoria last evening was worthy an extended patronage and on an average with many of the travelling companies that visit this city. Much credit is due the management and company, and if the drama of Caution is repeated again it will no doubt draw a large audience. The comedietta and specialties were good and elicited merited applause, though the leading attraction was Mr. Fred Mackley's drama Caution, which is replete with thrilling situations, and the plot draws an intense interest to the characters. Mr. Mackley has produced a play that would make a "hit" anywhere, and together with his acknowledged talent as an actor, has demonstrated ability as a dramatist. The cast was unusually good for a Victoria theatre. Mr. and Mrs. Mackley as Bryan O'Neil and Helen Lacy, acquitted themselves in their usual acceptable manner. William Gilbert, as Jim Johnson, the colored servant, won a host of friends, and his performance could not be improved. Charles Archer as Henry Lane did some good acting, and Joe Alicoate and Joe Moran were equal to the requirements of their parts, while Annie Launetta as Katie O'Connor is deserving of praise. The drama was well received, and judging from the approbation of the audience is a success.

A GENEROUS ACT.—There was considerable feeling among the hackdrivers, hotelrunners, and expressmen yesterday over the arrest of John Rowe, a young boy who drives an express waggon, and from the income it affords supports a widowed mother. He was charged with driving an express waggon contrary to the provisions of the license bylaw. He secured counsel and won his case, but was obliged to pay $5 for counsel fees out of his small earnings. On learning this the hotelrunners and hackmen immediately took up a subscription and returned the money to him. These little evidences of the heart promptings between man and man are the sure key notes of humanity.

MR. DUCK.—The honorable member referred to by the Times last evening as being in the confidence of the government must have been "stuffing" the two gullible writer. Or probably the editor of that sheet has become a seer of the Wiggins school, and allowed his imagination to run riot. Developments in a day or two will show that the prophet of the Times, like Wiggins, is altogether out in his predictions.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The following passengers sailed for San Francisco per steamer Mexico yesterday: Richard James, E. H. Godsell, Mrs. E. E. Judah, Captain H. McDonald and wife, Wm. Smith and wife, Captain Grant, T. E. Cooper, W E. Evans, R. J. Craig, E. Linchey, H. Gottormsen, Mrs. O. Elliott, Miss Alexander, H. S. Flood, and twelve in the steerage.

NEW POST OFFICE.—A late number of the Canada Gazette states that a new postoffice has been opened at Otter Point, ten miles from Sooke. Mr. T. Tugwell has the contract for carrying a weekly mail.

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HAVE RECEIVED INSTRUCTIONS from the Hon. W. Hamley, Collector of Customs, to sell by

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AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.,

AT SALESROOM, WHARF STREET,

On Wednesday, Oct. 20, 1886

FOR INFRACTION OF THE REVENUE LAWS:

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9 Boxes Cigarettes, 4500,
2 " Climax Tobacco, 52lbs.
20 Gross Playing Cards,
1 Box Cigars.

AT COMMENCEMENT OF SALE.

1 Ivory Piano, 1 Piano Stool, 2 Mattresses, 1 Bath, 1 Camp Chair, 1 Basket, 1 Parlor Suite, 1 Book Seelf, 1 Round 3 Bedsteads, 1 Wardrobe, 1 Whatnot, Miners' Stoves, etc.

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6 large Cooking Ranges,
316 Spoons, 284 Knives, 246 Forks,
Carving, Butcher and Hash Knives,
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W. R. CLARKE.

TERMS CASH. se29

MECHANICS LITERARY INSTITUTE

A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE SUBSCRIBERS of the above institute will be held on Tuesday evening next, the 19th inst., at 8 o'clock, in the reading room, for the purpose of taking into consideration the advisability of handing over the library to the City Council to be used as a free public library, and other matters in connection with the proposed winding up of the affairs of the association.

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A MYSTERIOUS RING.

SPIRIT WORKS AT THE SCENE OF AN OLD MURDER.

Helena (O.) Letter in Cin. Commercial Gazette.

Until August the 11th this little hamlet was unknown to fame, and had scarcely been heard of outside the limits of its own county (Sandusky), but now its fame has gone forth through an entire State, and it promises ere long to reap a national reputation from a series of happenings which, in the mystery of the events connected with them, are startling.

Helena, a pleasant little village of Northern Ohio, is situated on the Pennsylvania Railroad, abont thirty miles from Toledo, and has been during the past week a Mecca for the curious-loving persons of Northwestern Ohio, of whom I was one, and of what I saw and heard I propose to give a true account.

Arriving in town, I was at once asked if I wished to see the haunted house and the mysterious ring, and upon answering in the affirmative was conducted to a lumbering vehicle, on which for a small consideration I was taken to see the sights. A drive of nearly two miles brought me to the edge of a forest, where I was asked to alight. I did so, and followed my guide into the woods, and was surprised to find nearly 200 persons standing in a circle around something which seemed to cause them great bewilderment. In a moment I had joined the group and was looking at a ring of fresh tramped earth, forty-four feet in diameter, with the line of the circumference about two feet wide.

This, then, was all that had drawn hundreds of people daily from far and wide—a ring of earth. But how did it come there? What caused it? Men looked wise and said horses tramped it. Others said "spirits," and the majority gave it up. But there was the ring as round as a dollar, and measuring just twenty-two feet in every direction from the centre. Not a track could be found inside or outside the circle; it was as true as a die.

I asked one of the most intelligent looking men standing by to tell me the story of the mysterious ring, and in a solemn tone of voice he told me this: "Just twenty-eight years ago there came into this vicinity a very rich young man from Schellsburg, Pa.

"He had plenty of money, which he carried in a buckskin belt, and which he exhibited on all occasions. His object, he said, was to buy an entire section of land. He remained around here for some time, and at last mysteriously disappeared. Nothing was ever heard of him, but in the centre of the circle you see here his blood-stained belt was found empty. Then, twenty-eight years ago, a ring like this was formed in the same place, the same size. The affair caused a great deal of excitement at the time, and his friends came on from the east. Detectives were placed at work, but neither the man nor his body could be found. Three men were suspected of the crime of murdering him, but the evidence was not sufficient to warrant their arrest.

Well, fourteen years rolled around; the man and the crime were forgotten. Then one of the suspected men died, and for the second time the mystic ring appeared. Excitement grew intense and the thing was talked over the entire county. Now another fourteen years have passed and on August the 11th another of the suspected men died, and on that morning the third ring was discovered, the one you see here to-day, and the people are more excited than ever. Do you wonder at it that three perfect circles have been formed around the place where the bloody belt was found, formed by horses' feet, and on the morning of the death of the victim and two of his suspected assailants? I tell you, nothing like it has ever been heard of before anywhere. I am a good member of the church and all that, but I can't explain these rings. Can you?"

I confessed that I could not explain the rings. I found, on careful investigations, that the story was true in every respect, and is vouched for by the editor of the Belleville Enterprise, who has made a careful study of the subject in all its aspects. He says in his paper: "These are strange occurrences, but they are the veritable truth, as we took great pains to find out the correctness of the reports."

The story has spread, and has grown in proportion to its flight, yet I only give what the best-informed and most conservative men in the vicinity say on the subject.

The people in the neighborhood have commenced an examination of all the spot inside the circumference of the circle, and hope to unearth the skeleton, or some other tangible evidence of the crime. They are in earnest, and think the time has come for action.

Near the ring stands a deserted house, said to be haunted; but the story of the house I may give at another time, for it is a story full of interest, though not as weird as the story of the three rings.

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The Irish Parliament.

LONDON, Oct. 6.—Mr. Gladstone has written to the editor of Blackwood's Magazine in reply to Lord Brabourne's article on "Facts and Fictions of Irish History," Mr. Gladstone calls the old Irish Parilament a National Parliament, meaning that it was not given to Ireland by an exterior agency like the Colonial assemblies. He says Ireland was satisfied with the Parliament of 1782 as between herself and England. In that sense only Mr. Gladstone concurs with what the article says against the Irish Parliament. But he points out that the article does not refer to the virtues of that Parliament, especially its endeavors to arrest the recall of Lord Fitzwilliam. He declared that he is unaware that during the whole eighteen years of its existence any attempt of the Executive to do good was frustrated or opposed by the Irish Parliament. Mr. Gladstone admits that Lord Brabourne's tone is fair and temperate, and rejoices at that indication of a desire to treat the subject historically.

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Victoria, 2nd Oct., 1896. oc3-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE

THAT I INTEND TO APPLY TO THE HON. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase a tract of Pastoral Land, described as follows: Commencing at S. W. corner of A. Gilmore's purchase, near mouth of Goldstream; thence south 60.20 chains; thence east 25.80 chains; thence north 60.20 chains; thence west 25.80 chains, to place of beginning, containing 160 acres, more or less. J. W. McLEOD.

Victoria, B.C., 2nd Oct., 1886. oc3-2m

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By order. NORTHING P. SNOWDEN, Capt. Adjutant.

Victoria, B. C., 1st Oct., 1886. oc2 2w

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on the 4th day of October next, at the hour of 12 o'clock noon, the stock-books of the Shuswap and Okanagan Railway Company will be opened at the office of the said Company in Bastion Street, Victoria.

J. W. McFARLAND, Secretary to Provisional Directors.

Dated 9th September, 1886. oct2

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND TO APPLY to the Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase a small island lying to the north-west end of Salt Spring Island, known as "Idol Island," containing about six acres, more or less. JOSEPH ZACK TAYLOR.

September 30th, 1886. 1oct2m

NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following lands in the Osoyoos division of Yale District, viz.: Vacant portions of sections 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 26, 27, 33 and 34, township 49, section 4 township 51; east half of sections 24, 25 and 26, township 55. J. C. HAYNES

Victoria, B. C., 30th September, 1886. 1oct2m

NOTICE.

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Victoria, Sept. 15th, 1886. se18 1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT IT IS MY INtention to make application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following plot of land for grazing purposes situated in the Chilcoaten District, and more particularly described as follows:—Commencing at a post alongside L. W. Briskie's S. W. corner post and running about forty chains to his S. E. corner stake; thence east about three miles to a post marked N.E.; thence one mile and a half in a southerly direction to the Fraser River bank; thence following the downward course of river about two miles; thence initial post; containing, more or less, two (2) thousand acres. (Signed) B. F. ENGLISH.

Deer Park, Chilcoaten, 15th Sept., 1886. se24dw2m

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Dated 28th September, 1886.

By order of the Directors.

W. MONTEITH, Secretary.

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NOTICE

I INTEND APPLYING TO THE CHIEF COMmissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land in the Osoyoos Division of Yale District, situated about two miles north-east from the foot of "Swan Lake"—one of the Okanagan chain—and on a creek running into the Okanagan river, about one mile from Phillips' ranch.

J. C. HAYNES.

Victoria, B.C., 4th Oct., 1886. oc6

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September 15th, 1886. se16

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